# PORTALES VALLEY NEWS

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# LABOR DAY PROGRAM MON.

# CITY SCHOOLS OPENED MON. WITH RECORD ENROLLMENT

Very few seats were empty in the auditorium of the Portales high school last Monday morning when the students from the senior and junior high schools gathered for the opening exercises at nine o'clock.

The teachers, led by Superintendent F. D. Golden, took their places up on the stage. The balcony was well filled with the pupils from the junior high school, and the main auditorium floor furnished space for the senior high school students and the visitors gathered for the opening ceremonies.

With Mrs. Ernest Pogue at the piano, Miss Alene Harris led the congregation in singing "America," after which Rev. John Evans, pastor of the Baptist church in Melrose, gave the invocation.

Superintendent Floyd D. Golden made a few remarks concerning the opening of the school and introduced A. F. Jones, president of the Portales school board. Mr. Jones in the course of his address reported it had cost the Portales school district about $65 per student to send the pupils of this district to school for nine months last year.

Miss Alene Harris, the new music teacher, was introduced and appeared upon the morning program with a vocal solo. She was accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Pogue.

Judge C. M. Compton, vice-president of the school board, was invited to address the assemblage and in a very interesting manner pictured to the boys and girls the necessity of being self-propellers as they pass through this world of opportunities and activities.

Mr. Golden then introduced the faculties of the high schools and and expressed regret that space would not permit of having the grade students and faculty present for these ceremonies. The average daily attendance in the Portales school last year was 1223 and as there are several hundred new students this year, it would be absolutely impossible to seat the entire student body in the auditorium. Of the more than twenty-five persons introduced, only four were new teachers, Miss Louise Robinson and Miss Jamie Greenwalt of the junior high school, Miss Alene Harris and Miss Bernice Van Kirk of the senior high school.

The assembly closed with the announcements by Principal J. P. Steiner concerning the enrollment of the senior high school students and Principal Kenneth Livingston's directions to the junior high school students.

At the grade school no special exercises were held as there was no auditorium or congregating space available at the grade building. The returning teachers greeted each other after the summer vacation and extended a cordial welcome to the three new teachers of the grade faculty, Miss Fay Thomas, Miss Rosa Lee Littlefield and Jay Thompson.

Principal L. L. Brown and the staff of teachers made the enrollment of the children and school was dismissed for the remainder of the day.

## Portales Has Assets Over Liabilities

SANTA FE, Aug. 25.—Portales has an excess of assets over liabilities totaling $21,978.62, R. D. Jones, auditor, reported for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1931.

Cash on hand was $70.25 and deposited in the First National Bank was $1,557.79. The assets include $12,044.05 due from the water department, which indebtedness dates back to October 1, 1925, having been occasioned by the chaotic condition of the water department prior to that time.

The auditor found that $384 was due the town from the "school section fund."

## Portales Schools Make 13 Per Cent Gain in Enrollment

Floyd D. Golden, superintendent of the Portales schools, reports a gain of 13 per cent in the first day's enrollment over that of last year.

The total enrollment for the first day was 1364.

The high school shows from 65 to 75 more enrolled than last year.

He states that the attitude of the faculty and students is the best he ever saw, and that all are in high spirits and are looking forwaard to a very successful school year.

The entire day on Monday was consumed in enrolling the high school students, the grades and junior high completing their enrollment in the forenoon.

Additional enrollments are being made daily, and the school buildings are being taxed to capacity to care for the increased attendance.

## Trucks for Hire to Carry Insurance

Thos. S. Cox, inspector for the motor transportation department of the State Corporation Commission, spent Tuesday night in Portales giving publicity to the fact that all trucks operating for hire must carry a license from the Corporation Commission, and in addition to this are required to carry a cargo insurance.

This regulation is in accordance with Chapter 52 of House Bill No. 205 as appoved by the New Mexico legislature of 1931.

Mr. Cox has his office in Artesia, but he is making a tour of the state advising the truckers of the enforcement of the law before giving them any trouble upon the highways of the state.

He left Wednesday for other districts of New Mexico.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Soe, with their house guests Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hansen, left Saturday afternoon for the Carlsbad caverns, returning to Portales again the first of the week.



## All Set for Labor Day Celebration; Many Attractive Premiums Offered

On Monday Clovis and other cities will be the guests of Portales at the immense Labor Day celebration.

Program and premium list will be found elsewhere in this issue.

This will be one big day in Portales, with thousands of outside visitors.

Program for the day is full of amusement for all ages.

Make your arrangements to come to Portales on Monday, September 7th, and spend a day getting acquainted with your neighbors from other communities and enjoying a real old fashioned get-together time.

Come early and prepare to stay late.

Over two thousand visitors from Clovis alone will be here.

Lacy Armstrong spent Monday of this week in Lubbock on matters of business.

## Canning Factory Began Operation Wedn'day Morning

The Portales Canning Factory began operation of canning tomatoes on Wednesday morning of this week.

At time of opening, 3,000 crates of tomatoes had been delivered and 102 men and women were employed.

As the season reaches the peak there will be around 175 employees.

A new ovation this season is the canning of 10-pound packages.

Three large capping machines are in operation.

Mr. Case stated that the quality of the tomatoes were better this season than at the opening of the season any year since the factory has been in operation.

## Last of Trio of Burglars Captured and in Safe Keeping in County Jail

A year ago last June, A. R. Culpepper, charged with burglary of the Joyce-Pruit Co. store at Portales, broke jail and escaped.

His two companions were convicted and are now serving terms in the state penitentiary.

For over a year the sheriff's office has been looking for Culpepper over several states.

On last Monday night, Sheriff Jernigan and Deputy Jack Howard returned from San Bernardino, California, with Culpepper, and he was placed in chains in the Roosevelt county jail, to await the disposition of the district court.

It is anticipated that Culpepper will plead guilty on Thursday of this week, and will be carried to Santa Fe to begin his sentence.

This closed the final chapter in this burglary, which covered several states in running down the criminals.

On the night of the burglary the car of Herman Louper was also stolen and later found in Dallas. It was in this car that the burglars made their get away.

## Curry County's Democrats For Gov. Roosevelt

**566 of Them Sign Petition Advancing New Yorker for President and Forming Club**

CLOVIS, N. M.—A "Roosevelt for President" club is being organized in Curry county by democrats who urge the nomination of Franklin D. Roosevelt, governor of New York, as the democratic candidate 1931.
for the presidential nomination in

The petition has been signed by 556 Curry county democrats.

The petition advancing Roosevelt and proposing the formation of the club was circulated by A. L. Walt, former Curry county clerk.

The petition says the Curry county democrats will "do most toward placing the United States on a basis of prosperity instead of poverty, now so rampant under the guidance of the republican party."

It expresses a belief that Roosevelt would do much to relieve the unemployment situation and suggests lowering tariffs on American products.

## Stool's Dept. Store Being Remodeled

Carpenters are at work remodeling the Stool Department Store which was recently damaged by fire.

The remainder of the damaged stock is being removed into the C. W. Ison building on Main St., where it will be disposed of.

The work of remodeling the Stool store will soon be completed and Mr. Stool will open a complete stock of new goods in the old location.

It is expected that this stock will be ready for opening around the 10th of this month.

Miss Charlotte Herbert came in from the Herbert ranch northwest of Elida and visited from Wednesday until Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jass Lyons.

Mrs. C. J. Whitcomb was stricken a week ago last Sunday very suddenly with a severe pain in her foot. The suffering was intense and after the doctor here had treated her for a few days, he took her to the Clovis hospital where her foot was operated upon. It had become infected from some cause, but Mrs. Whitcomb had never suffered from an injury, of which she was aware. A drain was placed in her foot and she was compelled to remain at the hospital for a few days.

Miss Elizabeth Pickett will have her home in the R. G. Bryant family this winter and have her violin classes meet there.

## 1600 School Children Made Happy at Theatre Party Last Monday

On last Monday afternoon 1600 school children from the Portales schools and the rural schools of Roosevelt county were made happy by a theatre party given by the Palace Theatre and the Portales Valley News.

"Skippy," one of the greatest feature pictures ever produced by the Paramount Corporation, was shown on this occasion, and hundreds have expressed their appreciation of this opportunity to see this great picture.

The kids filled the house to overflowing for three shows, and enjoyed the picture every minute.

Many of the teachers from over the county took advantage of this party to see Skippy, and they will all have a better understanding of child life by having gone.

School days are here and this party started the kiddies off in good spirits, and doubtless the school records of the county will be much better this year than in years past.

The Palace Theatre and the News both enjoyed having the children of the county as their guests on Monday afternoon, and trust that all enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent.

## Beer Plant Captured Saturday Night

On last Saturday night Deputies R. H. Hollis and Murl Wallace captured a quantity of beer at the home of D. S. Moore, 1 mile northwest of town, and Moore was arrested on a charge of possession of intoxicating liquor for sale. He was released on a bond in the sum of $500.

## Portales Methodist Close the Year

The close of the year for the Methodist church of Portales was on last Sunday.

Pastor Davis preached a forceful sermon Sunday morning and Rev. Robt. Tomlinson filled the pulpit Sunday night.

This closes the first year of Rev. Davis as pastor at Portales, which taken all in all was a very successful year in spite of the worldwide depression.

A goodly number or additions have been made to the church during the past year, and the church finances were about rounded up on Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Davis have won many warm friends during their residence here who are hoping for their return another year.

On Tuesday afternoon Rev. and Mrs. Davis, accompanied by Mrs. H. E. Taylor and two children, left for Walsenberg, Colorado, to attend the annual New Mexico conference of the Methodist Church, South.

**BAPTIST REVIVAL CONTINUES THIS WEEK**

The series of revival meetings being held at the Baptist chuch in Portales will continue throughout this week and close with the services of next Sunday evening when Rev. Barnard will have for his subject, "The Cry That Came Too Late."

Great interest is being manifested in the meeting and a well filled house is greting the evangelist every evening. The morning services continue to be messages for the Christians.

Rev. John Evans of Melrose is giving a musical program each evening, with the assistance of the senior and junior choirs and the orchestra.

The subject of the sermon this evening will be "The Devil's Hog Pen." On Friday evening it is "Are You Ready to Meet Christ?" Saturday evening, "Sin, Its Cause and Its Cure."

## Attempted Car Stealing Monday

On Monday afternoon while attending the matinee, Mrs. Z. T. Campbell of Elida parked her car in front of the Palace Theatre and her son John put the keys in his pocket.

Mrs. Campbell had the other set of keys, and soon missed the car.

The sheriff's office was notified and while he was notifying the sheriffs at Clovis and Roswell, the car was parked on the south side of the court house square.

The car only had about a half gallon of gas, and it is thought that as a search was being made of the cars in town, the car thieves got suspicious, and not having gas enough to leave town, parked the car and beat it.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST REVIVAL A GREAT SUCCESS**

A steady and material gain has been shown by the Church of Christ, this city, for the last year, until we have outgrown our old building and it is imperative that we build a greater work shop to carry on our Lord's business.

We are very grateful to our God for the blessings He has bestowed upon us in our revival, which has been a great spiritual awakening. A number of new folks have come in with us and ask a place in the fighting line. We thank God, and take courage.

## New Mex. A & M Farm Week Finds Roosevelt County Setting the Pace

By Henry Ansley

STATE COLLEGE, N. M., Aug. 29.—Roosevelt county, the home of Arthur Jones, Coe Howard and A. D. Ribble, showed the rest of New Mexico the way in the first annual Farmers' Week held at the New Mexico A. & M. College this week.

There were 22 in the Roosevelt county delegation, the largest in attendance, with the exception of Dona Ana, the county where the college is located.

Curry, Quay and Union counties also had large delegations.

Dr. H. L. Kent, president of the college, said today that the week was a success in every respect and that officials of the college and the extension service were more than pleased with the results. There were more than 300 farmers, farm wives, business men and bankers in attendance, not to mention the extension service and vocational workers of the state.

**Bankers Ready to Help**

Today was bankers' day and on the invitation of Arthur Jones, president of the First National of Portales and chairman of the agricultural committe of the state bankers' association, bankers from all over the state were present.

"Bankers are ready to help in every way possible and we want to tell the farmers and the college people about our business and to learn about theirs," said Mr. Jones in opening the meeting, which was the largest held during the week.

"The bankers of New Mexico have been organized for a definite program for the advancement and development and promotion of agriculture," said Mr. Jones. "We want the county agents and home demonstration agents to feel that we are at their service at all times. Through team work we can raise farming to the standard of a profession which will rank as high as any other profession.

"New Mexico banks are in excellent condition, much better than most any other state," said John Bingham, state bank examiner and personal representative of Governor Arthur Seligman, who was unable to attend the conference. Mr. Bingham urged the bankers to cooperate with state authorities in eliminating from the state companies which are selling stocks and bonds of doubtful value.

**Oppose Artificial Stimulation**

Opposition to any plan which

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## Saturday, Sept. 19th, Designated as Amarillo, Clovis, Roswell Day

Saturday, Sept. 19, has been designated as Amarillo, Clovis and Roswell Day at the Roosevelt County Dairy and Livestock Show. A large number of visitors from these towns are expected to visit the show on that day.

Henry Ainsley of the Amarillo News stated last week to several Portales citizens that he will make an effort to have a delgation of several hundred from Amarillo in Portales at that time.

A delegation from Portales consisting of Arthur F. Jones, Coe Howard and A. D. Ribble visited Albuquerque and Santa Fe last week and formally invited Senator Sam G. Bratton, Congressman Dennis Chaves and Governor Arthur Seligman to be the guests of the Dairy and Livestock Show in Portales. All three of these gentlemen accepted the invitation and promised to attend. It is certain that other prominent persons will be on hand during the show and the program to be announced later will be arranged.

The parade will be held as in former years and all the communities of the county are invited to

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Powhatan Carter motored up from Lovington this week to visit his mother, Mrs. C. L. Carter and look after some business interests with his brother, Lee Carter.


Tomorrow, Sept. 4th





**RIGHT WHERE YOU ARE!**

(A Worth While Editorial Selected by the National Editorial Association)

Right where you are, if you'l git-up-and-git,
And hustle and rustle and do
And put your heart in it, and never say quit—
There's plenty of good things for you!
The prizes are waiting right there to be got;
You'll find them wherever you are,
By proving if you're a "go-getter," or not—
A "flash-in-the-pan"—or a "star!"

The croakers are croaking about the "hard times,"
And how things are hopelessly "punk;"
They're mourning the shortage of nickles and dimes,
But that kind of junk is the "bunk!"
And while they are buzzing about biz being bad,
The "wise ones" are hopping about,
And copping the prizes right here to be had—
And putting old "hard times" to route!

It's always hard times, if you're thinking that way,
And prospects are gloomy and blue,
But, while the sun's chining, if you will make hay,
You'll get what is coming to you!
Don't let hard time floor you, and steal your good rep;
Don't dream about "green fields afar;"
We know you're a winner—now show us some pep—
Make good on the job where you are!

James Edward Hungerford.

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## FIT SUBJECTS FOR RESEARCH

(A Worth While Editorial Selected by the National Editorial Association)

On a recent day, newspapers published an announcement by a council of learned societies of research grants to fifty scholars—an allotment of $60,000 for the study of humanities.

The majority of the researches are to be made abroad and they include the following:—

A study of the pavements of Roman buildings in the second century A. D. in Italy.

An edition of the Latin riddles of the Anglo-Saxons.

An investigation of the social economy of the medieval Rhenish cities.

An investigation of the sites of ancient Greek theatres.

A study in England, France and Italy of manuscripts of medieval epithalmia.

We will waive any discussion as to the value of all this, and grant its proper place in a plan of higher education, but the thought will not down that there are many conditions here in the United States to which scientific research might be given with the chance of greater and more immediate benefit to humanity.

The pavements of American streets with their daily tragedies might be a profitable study from any one of many angles.

There are better riddles in American life than the Latin riddles of the Anglo-Saxons—and he who will contrbute toward their solution deserves to be rated as a servant of mankind.

More useful than an investigation of the dead sites of ancient Greek theatres would be an investigation of the live audiences of our theatres, and what effect the average things that they see and hear are having upon the individual and upon the future of our civilization.

More important, too, than a study of medieval epithalmia would be some research as to the why of the bob-haired bandits.

Our own world is in a state of flux, a new character is appearing in America. Destructive forces are at work on our civilization.

To these forces and their sources, the best brains of the nation might well be directed now, letting the dead past sleep undisturbed.—James E. Clark, in American Bankers Association Journal.

## PAVING NEEDED AT SCHOOL

Monday morning the muddy streets in front of the grade schools and the high schools brought forth the comment that these streets were badly in need of paving.

There are several methods whereby this may be accomplished.

A coating of caliche would not be very expensive and would make it more convenient for the students, especially the trucks picking up and discharging the students from the country.

On Monday morning several cars were stuck in the mud in front of the grade building.

This condition makes it dangerous for the children and patrons.

Those in authority should see if there cannot be devised some means for financing such an improvement.

## SCHOOL CHILDREN IN EVIDENCE MONDAY

With the opening of the Portales schools on Monday of this week, the town was crowded with school children.

In the morning it was an interesting sight to see the many hundreds of bright faced children gathered at the various school builings for enrollment.

All children seemed anxious to again take up their school duties, and the faculty was taxed to the utmost taking care of and assigning the children to their various departmnts.

A great increase in enrollment over last year was experienced and this will steadily increase urine the next sixty days.

Portales is proud of her schools and always welcomes the opening of the schools each year.

The News stands ready to cooperate with the schools of Portales and of Roosevelt county to the limit, and invites students and teachers to call at the News office and get acquainted.

## LABOR DAY

Monday is Labor Day.

The first Monday of September has been set aside as a national holiday in honor of labor.

Labor is to industry the same as the boys in the trenches were to the army in France. They bear the brunt of industry, and without them the wheels of the nation would stand idle.

On Monday, come out and pay homage to the boys who, by the sweat of their brows, made life worth living.

The laborer is worthy of his hire, and little do we think, as he toils in the depth of the earth extracting valuable minerals, as he guides the iron monsters over the steel ribbons of the land, as he toils in the fields producing the food that you eat and the clothing that you wear, as he works in the factory turning the raw material into the finished product for your comfort, that we owe to him the progress of civilization.

All due honor to the laborer.

## "STRANGE BEDFELLOWS"

Newspaper advertising scores again!

A representative of a nationally advertised product makes the public statement that since his firm has substituted radio advertising for the "old reliable" newspaper medium, the sales have fallen off thirty-three and one-third per cent. As for the publicity stunt, the representative praised it highly, stating that many inquiries were received—especially those in connection with the free prizes that the company offered. As an exclusive medium, however, he named the newspaper as the only real channel through which to sell merchandise, effectively, consistently.

The public has long since accepted the newspaper as an organ not only of incalculable value in rendering news service and broadcasting editorial opinion, but also as one of the foremost agencies of the world in directing trade and influencing the volume of turnover.

Beyond all question of doubt, the newspaper advertissment is the greatest, most potent and influential factor in the nation for creating business demands. Yet, during the earlier part of the present business depression, the worst of all times to try new, uncertain methods, some companies deserted the "old reliable" to choose various novel, "stronge bedfellows."

These adventurers have returned to the fold. They are wise; we are cordial in our "welcome back." Experience is the best teacher.—Roswell Dispatch.

## SOCIAL ANNEX

BY THE BOSS

Say, folks, we sure did have a big party on Monday afternoon.

The News and the Palace Theatre gave a theatre party to the school kiddies and teachers of the county, and it was a sight to behold as they crowded the sidewalks, waiting for the doors to be opened.

Three full houses were accommodated, and all seemed to have a good time.

Skippy was at his best, and was a real kid.

No one who attended could help going away better for having seen this young American performance.

It was true to life and carried a moral lesson for parents and teachers.

The management of the Palace are to be congratulated in joining with the News in making this performance possible.

A number of Skippies and Sookies were in the audience.

It was unfortunate that there were some children in the county who failed to see this performance.

Back to that male bathing beauty contest—some friction has come to the surface.

Woody McCall has made application for entry, but Bob Adams objects and wants to eliminate all but those who part their hair in the middle.

Bob is a standing advertisement for hair tonic, and at the close of this contest will win fame by having his picture on every bottle sold in this good old U. S. A.

We sure wish to thank the farmers for their liberal donations of melons, fruits and vegetables.

We have three old maid school marms to feed at our house, and it sure does take lots of spinach and turnip greens.

On last Sunday evening the Society editor and the News editor raided the melon patch of John Russell's and did not have much luck.

John saw the car stop and pulled and hid all the ripe melons but one.

This was captured by the society editor, and she had to carry it about two hundred yarrds to the car.

John has made pretense of cutting his cockle burr crop, and says that those across the road from him belong to Walter Upton.

Some of the jealous neighbors report that John is experimenting with them and had packed down a big batch for kraut.

Mrs. Russell has a good crop as usual, but John is trying to claim some of the credit.

A newspaper office has many inquiries not in line with its business. On Saturday one student came in and asked if they could enroll in the junior high on that day.

About five years ago a young matron called at this office and called for a divorce.

We have frequent calls for farm implements, dry goods and many other articles of merchandise.

This office's principal stock in trade is news.

A. E. Hunt became so enthused over the Carlsbad beach that he suggested having something like that in Portales.

He even goes so far as to suggest that the city council make some arrangements to have a river moved to Portales.

This was mentioned to Carl Turner, and he has agreed to run for the position of City Alderman on this ticket.

Bob Yoachum is in favor of this move and even wants to move the old swimming pool, with its waterfall and shady trees, here.

Folks, we came near passing out on Friday night.

Tried to keep up with Thomas B. Sowell in an eating contest Friday night, and as a result, were on the sick list all day Saturday. It was not eating chickens, either.

One statistician estimates that it takes three acres of wheat to buy a pair of cowboy boots. But who ever heard of a cow puncher growing wheat.

If we could turn back thirty years and the ladies would wear cotton dresses, using 10 yards to the dress, cotton prices would advance.

Then with cotton stockings, more cotton would be used, but with the prevailing short skirts it would mar the scenery.

## BETHEL

The revival services closed last Sunday night. There were several conversions. We certainly had a splendid two weeks meeting. Bro. Reeves will serve on his regular appointment the third Sunday.

We had 21 at Sunday school on Sunday. Attendance and interest is increasing.

Dr. Bullock visited in the home of John White recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Adams and son were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Dutton and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Dutton of Burkburnett were here for several days and made us a donation of $5 for the church. The men of the community met and finished the inside and outside of the building. It surely looks nice and we are grateful to all who helped. We also thank Ed J. Neer and Dr. Wollard for the lamps they gave us.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Bilderback entertained Bro. Reeves and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hinson and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Thompson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Little entertained several guests at dinner Sunday.

There was a baptizing last Sunday afternoon at the Robert Little home. Quite a number attended.

## CATTLE OUTLOOK HAS FAVORABLE FACTORS

The long time outlook for cattlemen in the western states is quite favorable even though the number of range cattle will probably increase during the next few years, according to the fall outlook report issued by the New Mexico College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts. It is not expected that that the number of cattle in the United States will increase to the same extent as in previous cattle production cycles. Some improvement in the business situation may be expected, and there is a growing demand for market cattle on the western coast. These favorable factors will tend to partially offset the depressing effect of increasing numbers. Should a heavy liquidation occur this year, it will tend to improve the price situation during the next few years.

The sharp drop in cattle prices during the first half of 1931 was due largely to the failing off in consumer demand, since the supply was but little different than during the first half of 1930. This drop in prices carried the level of prices for all kinds of cattle to the lowest level in nearly 20 years. Since reaching the low point early in June, prices of all kinds have made a rather marked recovery, and it is not improbable that the low point then reached will be the low for the present depression and also for the present cattle cycle for most kinds of cattle.

Prices for range cattle this fall will be influenced by the general business situation which is somewhat uncertain at this time, but which will not likely show material improvement before most of the western cattle are marketed this fall. Favorable factors in the short time range cattle price situation are prospects for a lareg supply of feed in the middle west and no burdensome supply of feeder cattle. Although the number of range cattle has increased some during the past three years, the increase is small, and we are still near the bottom of the beef cattle production cycle.


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# SOCIETY NOTES

**BIRTHDAY PARTY**

Lucy Fay Yoachum celebrated her fifth birthday last week with a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Yoachum, between the hours of four and six.

Lucy Fay was assisted in receiving her guests by her sister, Mrs. Wesley Little, and Miss Jessie Lee Yoachum. Each friend brought to the little hostess a gift with their best wishes. Games out on the lawn occupied the afternoon and later the refreshments were served out there.

The guests were Max Hobbs, Norma Gene South, Betty Jim Hatch, Pauline Skinner, Keith and Lawrence Hall, Joan Clevenger, Dorothy Margaret, Johnnie and Tommie Hall.

**ACE HIGH BRIDGE**

Mrs. J. D. Marlow was hostess last Friday afternoon to the members of the Ace Hi bridge club when they met in her home for five progressions of auction bridge.

Summer flowers in profusion were used throughout the rooms of the Marlow home. Two tables were arranged and only the club members were present for the contest. Mrs. Ray Snelson held the high score of the afternoon and was awarded the club prize.

Bountiful refreshments were served after the game to Mrs. J. J. Brown, Mrs. Cleo Pike, Mrs. A. M. Gragg, Mrs. Buford Fisher, Mrs. L. S. Kirby, Mrs. E. H. Hudson and Mrs. Ray Snelson.

**SHOWER FOR BRIDE**

Friends gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Harris last Thursday afternoon to honor Mrs. Thurman Harris with their gifts of love, will long remember the party as one of the very prettiest of the season.

The spaciousness of the Harris home is very convenient for elaborate decoration and no effort had been spared in making the rooms most attractive.

The winding stairway was converted into a trellis with ferns and flowers, making the corner appear as a lovers' trysting nook.

On the dining table stood the huge wedding cake and suspended directly over it was a heart-shaped ornament formed with colored electric light globes which shed a sofe, mellow glow over the entire room. Direct under the point of the heart, upon the cake, stood the miniature bride with her veil and orange blossoms.

The punch bowl was also arranged upon the well decorated table in the dining room and the three young ladies presiding over this were Misses Ruth and Edith Wheeler and Bernice Hayes. All three of the young ladies were in evening dresses of delicate tints and hues.

In one end of the living room was amassed a bank of ferns and flowers. The color scheme of the the afternoon was pink and white and this was accented with the quantities of summer flowers used throughout the house. Behind the bank of flowers in the living room was hidden the wishing well which was disclosed after the bride began her hunt for the treasures. The old oaken bucket, which hung suspended in the well, carried from the depths the scores of gifts which were presented the honoree later in the afternoon.

On a table stood a tray in which the friends deposited the recipes given for the beautifully decorated recipe book which had been arranged as one of the gifts.

The hours of the party were from four o'clock until six and at the appointed hour the bride and her mother, Mrs. A. W. Freeman arrived at the Harris home. The bride wore a wedding gown of light cream satin made in the latest mode with the long graceful lines. Her mother was in a blue dinner gown of soft material with all accessories harmonizing perfectly.

The friends visited with Mrs. Harris, who before her marriage was Miss Leila Mae Freeman, while the guests were arriving and when the rooms were well filled with friends little Dorothy Dee Snell, as a pink fairy, flitted into the room and appeared before Leila Mae with a little poem which directed her to go to a different part of the house on a treasure hunt. The fairy assisted her with this hunting, and the last line of the poem suggested she go jump in the wishing well. At this point the obstructions were removed and the well disclosed with the many gifts, all of which were most useful and pretty, and ranged in value from a chest of silver to a dish drainer.

After the gifts had all been unwrapped and admired the hostesses served refreshments of ice cream and cake. The cakes were made into little baskets with wire handles on which was tied bows of pink ribbon. In these little white cake baskets, pink ice cream was served, and at six o'clock the friends departed wishing for the very popular young couple a happy and lengthy married life.

**BRIDGE AND FORTY-TWO**

Mrs. C. F. Brown, Mrs. P. M. Bailey, Mrs. Rusha Smith and Mrs. James Christoe issued invitations last week for a garden party on last Friday afternoon, but the day was not so pleasant for an out-door party and the twelve tables were arranged in the home of Mrs. Christoe and Mrs. Smith, which had been made to resemble a garden by the quantities of beautiful flowers taken from the yards of Mrs. W. H. McDonald, Mrs. Joe Hofard, Mrs. G. W. Carr, Mrs. John Mauk, Mrs. J. W. Maupin, Mrs. Ray Snelson, Mrs. A. D. Ribble, and from Mr. Bankston at the junior high school. Eight tables of bridge and four of forty-two occupied the afternoon hours. Iced cantaloupe and punch were served between progressions.

A color plan of green and yellow was carried out in the house decorations as well as the menu. The refreshments were served from the sun porch which was decorated and converted into a tea room. The dining table was covered with yellow satin over which a large lace cover was spread. It was centered with a silver basket filled with yellow flowers. Silver holders held tall green candles tied with yellow tulle. Mrs. C. F. Brown presided at the tea table and served the plate lunch. Mrs. F. D. Golden was at the punch bowl. The green limeade was served from the bowl in which floated a square of ice. Into this yellow pansies had been frozen.

At bridge Mrs. C. A. Skelton held the highest score, and in forty-two Mrs. J. C. Compton and Miss Bess Dohoney tied for this honor. The afternoon hours were from 2:30 until 6:00.

In the evening of the same day Mr. and Mrs. Brown together with Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Christoe were host and hostesses at five tables of bridge. W. K. Judevine and Mrs. H. H. Buchanan held high scores at the close of the evening game. The same decorations were used for the evening party as had been used during the afternoon.

The afternoon guests were Mesdames T. E. Mears, H. C. Waltom, J. J. Spires, Elbert Munsey, Sam Batton, I. D. Johnson, W. T. Johnson, J. H. Lee, Maud Smith, A. D. Ribble, Abe Ribble, Ray Bonner, C. M. Compton, J. C. Compton, Earl McCollum, C. A. Soe, W. B. Oldham, Esther Clevenger, P. E. Morrison, F. D. Golden, E. L. Wright, E. T. Hensley, W. W. King, N. T. Watson, Cline Caperton, Lucile Cumbie, J. G. Greaves, E. A. Herndon, Ike Hughes, N. F. Wollard, W. F. Shaw, Ernest Pogue, C. V. Harris, J. R. Shock, Glenn Truly, Sidney Stone, W. H. Franse, Misses Rosamond Deen, Kate McManaway, Helen Compton, Hazel McCollum, Adele Oldham, Bess Dohoney, and Marie Franse, all of Portales; Mrs. Alvin Hansen of Kimbletcn, Iowa, Mrs. C. A. Skelton, Mrs. Prentice Rosson, Mrs. William Borden of Hereford, Texas.

Those present for the evening were Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Soe, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Judevine, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Buchanan, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Neer, Judge and Mrs. T. E. Mears, Dr. and Mrs. I. D. Johnson, Miss Kate McManaway, Mrs C. A. Skelton, Mrs. Prentice Rosson, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Christoe.

The lunch was served buffet style at the completion of the evening playing.

**POULTRY OUTLOOK IS FOR REDUCED SUPPLY**

The important factors affecting the present poultry outlook are reduction in the number of poultry on farms, reduced storage stocks of both poultry and eggs, cheaper feeds in relation to poultry and eggs, and the sustained consumption of poultry products, according to the fall outlook report of the New Mexico Agricultural College.

Estimates of specialized poultry farms in the eleven western states indicate that there is a reduction in this region in the number of laying hens on these farms as compared with July of last year. The reported number of layers in the farm flocks of the United States was about 5% less than on July 1 last year and 6% less than the average July numbers for the years 1925 to 1929.

Reports of commercial hatcheries output from January to June indicate a decrease of about 27% in salable chicks hatched compared with the same months last year. This reduction was in part offset by home hatching.

In spite of heavy receipts of live and dressed poultry, the storage stocks have been reduced below the July 1 figure for both last year and the five-year average though the storage stocks the first of this year have been heavier than the year before.

The July 1 storage holdings of eggs were 11% less than on July 1, 1930, 3% less than the five-year average, although the holdings of frozen eggs were considerably over the five-year average.

Increased demand for poultry products is dependent on improvement in general conditions. With 5% fewer hens and with about 10% fewer young chicks available from which pullets may be saved, the number of layers during the coming fall and winter are likely to be slightly less than last year. Heavier feeding is likely to be practiced which will tend to maintain production in spite of reduction in the number of birds. Pullets were hatched much later this year than last, which will tend to retard fall and early winter production, although laying in later months and in the spring might be heavy.

Because of the rapid expansion in hatchery capacity in the United States during the last few years, the shift in poultry is likely to occur from year to year rather than over a period of years.

**GAME DEPARTMENT NOT TO BUY ANY MORE PHEASANTS**

Finding an over abundance of deer and a shortage of deer brouse, the southern part of the Double Springs refuge is to be open to hunting during the season from October 20 to 31, State Game and Fish Warden Elliott Barker announced Friday. The section where shooting is to be permitted lies south of Evans brothers' drift fence, near Santa Fe.

On the ground that it is not suitable for game propagation, the Black Range game refuge has been abolished west of the wagon road from Hoyt Creek, a mile above the mouth of Turkey Run, to Taylor Creek.

Purchase of no pheasants is contemplated by the game department in 1932. This year the purchase will be limited to 500. The department believes that enough of these birds have already been planted to determine within a few years whether they are suitable for the state.

It has been decided to close the quail season in Otero county for two years.

Two new bird refuges have been created—the Alamitos in Taos county, embracing 1,000 acres, for quail and pheasant, and the R. F. Smith sanctuary, taking in 640 acres in Roosevelt county, for prairie chicken. The state has planted 40 acres there for the use of prairie chicken.

**GARDEN THOUGHTS IN AUGUST**

I love a leafy garden walk
That leads to shady nooks
Where I can sit alone and think
The thoughts not found in books.

For never yet a poet lived
Could paint a rose—soul true,
Nor summon half its fragrance sweet,
Pull bathed in morning dew.

Nor bring to light the secret tho't
By petal doors concealed,
Nor catch with fragile words the tints
By sunlight bright revealed.

No wonder that I see the walk
That leads to shady nooks,
Where I can sit alone and think
The thoughts not found in books.

—Reuben A. Nelson.

## Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Maxwell and Mrs. Juanita Smith, all of Fort Sumner, came over to Portales Sunday afternoon and visited the first of the week with Mr. Maxwell's brother, Ike Maxwell, and family.

Miss Jamie Greenwalt and Miss Rosa Lee Littlefield have accepted positions in the Portales school and will live in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Greaves. Miss Greenwalt will teach in the junior high and Miss Littlefield has been elected in the grade to fill the vacancy made by the late resignation of Miss Glyde Holmes.

Alfred Powell returned Thursday to Portales to make preparations for the opening of school and the beginning of his duties as a teacher in the grade school. His brother Vernon came to Portales with him and will attend the local high school. The young men will live in the home with Mrs. A. G. Whit.

Mrs. R. H. Wright, with her two daughters Robbie Lee and Elenor and her son Richard Jr., came to Portales last Sunday afternoon and are visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Cutler. Mrs. Wright and Mrs. Cutler are sisters. The visitors will return in about a week to their home in Palestine, Texas.

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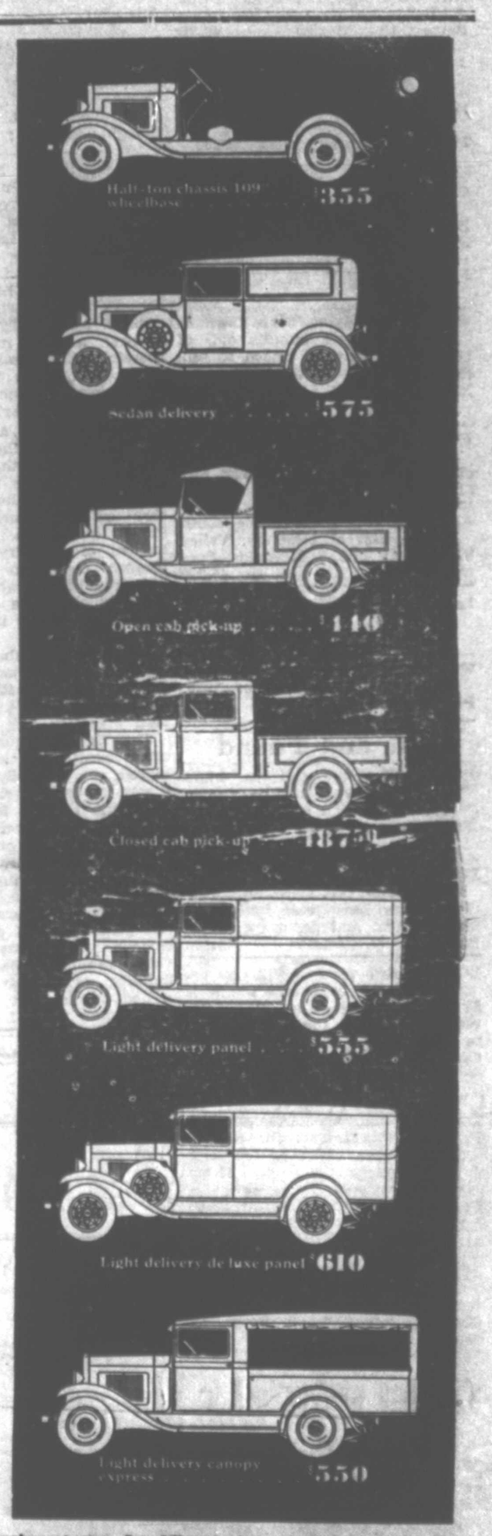
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WANTED—To trade dry land tract near Causey for small irrigated farm in Valley. Would consider buying if sufficient bargain is offered. Address Box X, News. 43-4tp

FOR SALE—On easy terms, shoe shop on Main Street, formerly known as the Owens Shoe Shop. See Ed J. Neer, owner. 33-tfc

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1 Fordson, good condition. E. N. Wheeler. 45-tfc

160 Acres 14 miles south of Portales for $9 per acre. See Paul M. Jones, Portales, New Mxico. 43-3tp

GRAPES FOR SALE—1 mile south, ½ east of Cemetery, Valley View Farm. W. E. Reynolds, Portales, N. M. 45-2tp

1 Deep Furrow Wheat Drill. E. N. Wheeler. 45-tfc

WANTED—60 or 70 White Leghorn pullets, 3 to 4 months old, of good stock, must be priced to sell. See or address J. W. Williamson, East Star Route, Elida, New Mex. 45-4tc

FOR SALE—Old style carpet or coverlet loom, new and in first class condition. M. J. Dupuy, Box 513, Portales. 45-2t

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FOR RENT—All or part of a modern home in Portales. Also International Truck for sale or trade. Clarence Barrett, last house on Nevada St. 45-1tp

## City Day at County Fair

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enter floats. Substantial prizes will be given for the prize winning floats from the rural communities. Business houses are urged to enter floats or decorated cars.

Those who plan to enter exhibits should make arrangements to have their exhibits in place before midnight September 17. Cows to be entered in the production contest will have to be on hand and milked out by 6:00 p. m. September 17. Judging will begin 9:00 a. m. Friday, Sept. 18, and those interested in this type of work are urged to attend and see the judging. The judges will give reasons for the placing, thus making it an educational event.

The children's milking contest will be held at 3:00 p. m. Saturday, September 19th. Prizes will be awarded on the basis of the most milk in two minutes of milking. This is for children under 12 years of age. Parents must provide cows for children who compete.

Farmers and stockmen are being urged to cooperate with the show committee in making it a success by bringing in livestock, crop, poultry and home economics exhibits. There will be departments for all kinds of crop exhibits, both dry land and irrigated, dairy and beef cattle, hogs, and home economics exhibits.

There are excellent facilities in the broomcorn warehouse for taking care of all of these exhibits.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Cletus C. Floyd, Clytie Vaughn—Duran.

Stanley Littleton, Ruby Berry—Hereford.

Charles Glenn, Alice Anderson—Littlefield.

### COMMUNITY SINGING

After several weeks vacation, the community singing will be again held on Monday night at the Nazarent church at 7:30 o'clock.

### ACHIEVEMENT DAY

The girls of the 4-H club at Dora are preparing for their local achievement day which will be held at the Dora school house on Thursday, September 10.

This is an open meeting and all those persons interested in the work being done by the girls are invited to gather at the school house on the announced date and enjoy the demonstrations.

Mr. James L. Simon has just returned from Yeso, N. M., where he visited with his father and mother the past week. Raymond Case returned with Mr. Simon (his nephew) for a short visit.

### BACK TO SANE LIVING

The following written by T. P. Hobson, appeared in the Booker, Texas, News, Mr. Hobson's old home paper. It contains many thoughts of merit:

Rogers, New Mexico,
July 26th, 1931.

To the Editor of the Booker News, and to old time neighbors and friends of Lipscomb county, Greetings:

With the latest issue of the Booker News in hand, and referring to the "This and That" column, I can hardly refrain from making a few remarks relative thereto. A thousand remedies to bring back boom times. Let us hope that no one will ever be smart enough to bring a repetition of such a boom as has recently exploded. When the master minds are able to solve the problem. One of our troubles is to determine a master mind. We have been taught thru all the years that master minds belong to the well-to-do leaders of industry, captains of finance, etc. Can we expect relief from those who are directly responsible for the deplorable condition we are now in? Then what must we do?

Put humanity above the dollar and great possessions of property. When we do this it will not be so difficult to solve humanity's troubles.

The first big question, with so much wealth and so many unemployed, can be easily answered, but covers a vast territory. We are cognizant of the fact that since the World War there has been an abnormal activity of all industries. Operating with improved machinery until every thing is overdone. Take, for instance, your town of Booker as an illustration. Within one year you laid pipe lines, laid cement on the streets, also provided sewer privileges. Also the building of substantial buildings. Added to the light plant and water system. All of these will not be duplicated in years. Please remember I said with improved mechinery. Those ditches were dug with one machine to the displacement of about 70 men. Now just follow out this idea thru the great industries and figure the profits, war time profits, that have accrued to the captains of industry. Yes, overdone, and they knew it long before the common herd suspicioned anything was wrong.

Now what? Big banks in our large cities are overflowing with cash. Two billions of dollars in one New York bank. All of this not for the benefit of humanity but for the love of money, the root of all evil.

Secondly, why is economic machinery so unorganized and lopsided? Because of excessive exploitation by those who are in control. For profit and not for the public welfare. For an instance that is self-explanatory: Some fifty years ago, while the big railroads were in session at a national meeting, a Vanderbilt was outlining a procedure for the railroads which seemed to be too severe on the public to one of the members. He put the question, "What will the public do?" The answer was, "To hell with the public; we are not running this railfor the public." One other instance: A bankers' convention under similar circumstances. When the speaker was asked what the public would do, he retorted: "The public be damned. Not running the banks for the benefit of the public."

After the lapse of 50 years, can we expect or trust the captains of industry to lead us out of economic troubles? Why do men go hungry in New York with wheat being fed to hogs in Kansas? Because of selfish greed as evidenced by the corporate control of distribution for profits.

Looking back some 40 years we, the common people had a great champion leader whose life work was devoted wholly to the interests of the common people. On politics his theory was, let the people rule, declaring in a speech that I heard, that the plain administration of an honest governor is a simple thing. One difficulty is when we meet up with these great corporation lawyers who mystify the situation and fool the people. After the world war this champion of people's rights proposed an economic proposition that would have hindered profittering, that has been done so excessively ever since. His idea was this: Stabilize and standardize every article the human race deals in. License all dealers to do a fair, honest business, if not, revoke the license. What did the predatory interests do to him? They failed to answer his arguments and had to resort to ridicule, coercion, and bribery and intimidation to break down his influence with the people.

Let me add here and now that when the American people undertake the job of putting into practice needed reforms they are tackling a big job. Factories are closed on account of an over-production with highpowered improved machinery. It is impossible to continue at full capacity. And now with the millions of unemployed and a diminished demand you say, "Why, with so many labor-saving devices, have we so little leisure?" To a man at your age it may seem as you say. But to we who have passed three score and twelve, the real, hard labor is in the past. The present generation bustles around and does lots of business, but not the work of 50 years ago.

Question, "Why were our parents, who were so much poorer than we, yet more contented and peaceful?" Well, my answer must be very brief, as I am writing too much. When a boy of 9 years of age back in Indiana 63 years ago, in a Quaker neighborhood where were just plain country people in a timbered country, our wants were few. People seemed honest and loveable. We had no railroad nor developments that caused us to mix with the outside world. We lived at home and boarded in the kitchen, if we had one. No one had debts or mortgages to worry about. Going to church, spelling matches, log rollings, hog killings, and all such was enjoyed as much as our up-to-date foolishness that costs so much. Most everybody did useful work in those times. Work, you say? Believe me, when you felled the trees and split the rails, cleared heavy timber land for a home, you sure sweat and earned many times what you got in those pioneer times. Yet people were neighbory, kind, and did enjoy life. I haven't more time nor space to tell what brought such a change. Cities bring more or less corruption, always. We are getting more citified all the time.

Well, John, here's my very plain answer to the situation. Dethrone the dollar. Inthrone humanity. We now know capitalistic government is a failure every time. Firstly, turn the millionaires out. Put plain, honest people in charge. After that is accomplished, adopt the referendum and recall, which gives an opportunity for the people to rule. It's going to be a big job, and will take a whole lot of adversity to bring it about. It's my belief that the all wise Creator didn't intend that these great resources should be held by individuals for exploiting purposes.

Farmers along with all other classes have over-reached their resources by too much spending, gone to luxuries entirely too far. If a man spends ten times as much to subsist in luxuries and necessities as they did 50 years ago, then he has to make his farm produce ten times more. He can not do that and find a market for such production. Must quit.

T. P. HOBSON.

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### SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION

The State of New Mexico to the defendants Georgia Newsom, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: said Georgia Newsom and J. I. Brothers, if living, and if dead, the unknown heirs, devisees, donees, and grantees of the defendants, and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the plaintiff, Greeting:

You said defendants are hereby notified that a suit has been filed against you in the District Court of Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico, on the Civil Docket of said court, numbered 2287, by Joe R. Newsom, plaintiff, and you said defendants as named; the nature and object of said suit being to secure a decree of said court quieting the title of the plaintiff in and to Lots one and two and the East half of the Northwest quarter of Section Nineteen, in Township Three South, Range Thirty-four East, of the New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico, and to cancel and expunge from the Mortgage Deed Record of Roosevelt County, a certain mortgage, dated Aug. 3rd, 1909, and recorded in Book E, at page 116.

You defendants are further notified, that unless you enter your appearance herein on or before the 16th day of October, 1931, judgment will be entered against you by default, and plaintiff will apply to and be given by the court the relief demanded in his complaint.

That C. J. Penderfraft, whose business and postoffice address is Portales, N. M., is attorney for plaintiff.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court this 1st day of September, 1931.

(SEAL) JOHN W. BALLOW,
Clerk of District Court.
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### NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the judgment and decree of the Court entered on the 29th day of Mny, 1931, in couse No. 2747, wherein J. J. Cutler was plaintiff and John Rose and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the plaintiff, were defendants, said judgment and decree being to foreclose certificate of tax lien for the sum of $125.70, together with interest at 1½ per cent per month thereon from November 11th, 1930, until paid, which sum on the date of said judgment, amounted to $137.92, and that on the 31st day of August, 1931, the said Court made and entered an order of sale of the said land described in said decree, as follows, to-wit:

NW¼ Section 21, Township 2 South, Range 34 East, N. M. P. M. and authorized the undersigned as Special Master after due advertisement, to sell said land for the purpose of satisfying said judgment, decree and foreclosure, together with all cost.

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the orders aforesaid, I, Wylma Trapp, as Special Master, will at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., on the 20th day of September, 1931, at the front door of the court house in the city of Portales, New Mexico, sell said land at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, for the purpose of satisfying said judgment, which said judgment on the date of sale, exclusive of cost, will amount to $

DATED this the 3rd day of September, 1931.

WLYMA TRAPP,
Special Master.
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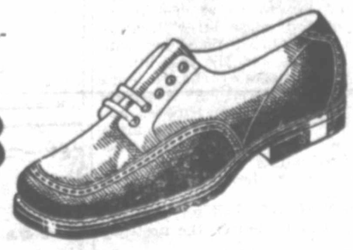
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## Locals and Personals

W. O. Summers has just returned from Jacksonville, Texas, where he visited his boys. He and his boys toured all the western part of New Mexico and visited Ted Summers at Santa Fe. Mr. Summers and his sons will return Saturay to Jacksonville where Jack will enter the Baptist college.

Bert Rawlins and Gordon Greaves drove to Lovington last Thursday to attend a barbecue and dance at Schorbor ranch. They returned Friday morning. Mrs. Rawlins returned Sunday to Portales after having visited her mother and sister in Lovington for several weeks. Her nephew, John Billy Garrett, came to Portales and will stay with Mr. and Mrs. Rawlins this winter to attend school in Portales.

W. E. Davis and family of Lovington were visiting friends in Portales Sunday. Mr. Davis is manager of the Kemp Lumber Company at Lovington.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fletcher, with their daughter Mhrgaret and son Byron Perry, returned late Thursday from Perryton, Texas, where they have been visiting. Byron spent the summer in Texas with his mother, Mrs. Tarbox.

Mrs. C. C. Maxwell, with her son Charles, left this week from their home at Rogers for Hot Springs, New Mexico, where they will spend the winter and Mrs. Maxwell will take treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Vineyard of Portales are announcing the birth of a little daughter who came into their home last Friday, August 28. The little girl has been named Verna Lee.

Roy Stork was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miller last week. Mr. Stork is a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Parker have decided to make Hereford their home again and the first of the week had their household goods moved from Portales to their Texas home.

Mrs. Wat Stewart is enjoying a visit this week from her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Will Brummett of Oklahoma, and her niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Randolph.

G. C. Carr of Spur, Texas, spent the first of the week in Portales visiting in the home of his brother, C. N. Carr at the Portales hotel. This was his first visit to Portales and he was very favorably impressed with the advantages of this country.

Mrs. A. R. Scott and her daughter, Miss Ada Scott of St. Louis, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Duree and children from Idaho were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Case on Tuesday of this week. These relatives and Mrs. Case had spent the past week in Dimmitt, Texas, at the bedside and attending the funeral services of Mrs. Scott's sister, who passed away in that city. Mrs. Scott is Mrs. Case's grandmother.

Miss Mildred Rowley came up from Carlsbad with Mrs. J. L. May the last of the week when Mrs. May returned from a week's stay in that city. Her son James Albert and Durwood Wright had been attending the Boy Scout camp.

Judson Jones, a nephew of R. G. Bryant, was a guest in the Bryant home a few days last week. Mr. Jones for a number of years has been connected with the public school system of New York.

Mrs. C. E. Ball with her three daughters, Misses Ara, Adele and Maizie, and son Albert have spent the past week or ten days in Clovis visiting with Mrs. Ball's brother, and in Portales with their many friends. Mrs. Ball seems to have completely recovered from her severe illness of last winter and appears to be in the best of health. They drove to Kenna Wednesday and spent the time with Earl Ball, who has spent all his leisure time with his mother while she has been in the state. They returned Thursday to their home at Stamford, in order that the two older girls might be ready for their school work. Thy will both teach in the same schools where they have been for the past three years.

County Agent R. R. Will and County Home Demonstration Agent Miss Verda Oakley and the men and women who accompanied them to the Farm Week at State College, returned home last Saturday. They feel the meeting this ycar was a wonderful success and much good was derived from this the first of the Farm Weew meetings at the college.

Mrs. S. A. Jackson and her daughter Miss Vada Mae moved on Tuesday of this week to the cottage on State street, near the Phillips Service Station. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Slone, who have been occupying the residence, have moved to the Miller apartment where Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lyons lived before Mrs. Lyons was taken ill and they went to the home of Mayor and Mrs. J. N. McCall.

Mrs. L. E. Franklin of Ada, Oklahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. McDonald from Fort Worth, Texas, have been in Portales visiting in the A. W. Baker, Murray and J. A. South homes. Mrs. Franklin and Mr. McDonald are sister and brother of Mrs. Baker, and aunt and uncle of Murray, J. A. and Miss Eulah South.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Harris are moving this week to Pampa, Texas, where they will be located during the school year. Mr. Harris is a member of the high school faculty in the Texas town.

Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Soe, with their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hansen of Kimbleton, motored to Carlsbad Saturday and spent Sunday taking the trip through the caverns. They returned home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Breshears have departed for their home in Eugene, Oregon, after spending summer here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Breshears.

Miss Wanda Brown, Miss Knight Edward Kornegay, Dr. J. M. Purcell and Vernon Lyster drove to Las Vegas and spent the week end visiting in the home of Miss Kornegay's grandmother, Mrs. A. H. Yoder.

Miss Alene Harris has taken rooms at the home of Mrs. J. W. and Miss Beola McMinn and will make that her home during the school year. Miss Harris is head of the music department in the Portales public schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Spears with their son and daughter left for their home in Oklahoma City after spending a week visiting in the home of Mrs. Spears' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Kenyon.

Malcolm Hunt came down from Canyon, Texas, last week and remained until Tuesday of this week visiting in the home of his brother and sister, County Supt. and Mrs. A. E. Hunt.

L. P. Hines, auditor for the General Motors Company, with headquarters in Amarillo, Texas, came to Portales last Sunday night and is spending this week in the offices of the Portales Motor Company, auditing the books of that company. Mr. Hines was a former Roosevelt county boy and was well known here when he was employed upon the McDaniel cattle ranch. He left at the beginning of the World War and after his discharge from the army he became an accountant of recognized ability.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bremer and daughter Jo Ann came home Sunday from a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Salmon in Kiowa, Kansas. Mrs. Bremer and Mrs. Salmon are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Campbell with their daughter, Miss Thelma and their brother Will Campbell came over from Crosbyton, Texas, last week and visited in Roosevelt county for a few days. Miss Thelma is returning again to Wand-Belmont, where she has been a member of the faculty for the past three or four years.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hansen left this week for their home in Kimbleton, Iowa, after visiting for a week with their brother and sister, Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Soe.

R. B. Price, president of the Midwest Dairies of El Paso and J. O. Fairley, accountant for the company, were in Portales Tuesday spending the day with W. K. Judevine, manager of the local creamery. Mr. Price and Mr. Fairley were guests at the Chamber of Commerce luncheon Tuesday noon.

Mrs. M. Y. Hill and her two children, Louis and Peggy, have returned from a vacation trip to Roswell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Davidson and their daughter Bertha Bee are home after a five weeks visit with relatives in different states of the middle west.

Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Guffy grom Fredericksburg, Texas, spent from Thursday until Saturday in the home of Sheriff and Mrs. T. S. Jernigan last week, leaving the last of the week for Oklahoma to spend some time with other relatives. Mr. Guffy and Mrs. Jernigan are brother and sister, and had not been together for several years.

Mrs. Dan H. Ware spent the week end with Mrs. Simon and her daughter Mrs. Ware is from the Floyd district.

Henry Ainsley of the Amarillo News-Globe and Mason King, secretary of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce, were in town Wednesday boosting the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo.

The Floyd Home Makers club will meet in all day session Friday, Sept. 11, in the home of Mrs. C. M. Wilkinson. Each club member is urged to be present as plans for booth at Fair are to be discussed.

Rev and Mrs. Thomas B. Sowell left Tuesday afternoon for Walsenberg, Colorado, to attend the annual conference.

Mrs. W. E. Daniel is entertaining this afternoon between the hours of 4 and 6:30 for Mrs. Ira C. Langley of Piggetts, Arkansas, and Miss Edith Langley of Conway, Ark. The two ladies have been visiting Mrs. Daniel for the past ten days. They all spent the week end in Santa Fe and Albuquerque last week. The two guests are leaving tomorrow for their home.

Brooks King and Leon Slaten left Wednesday for Whitfield, Kansas, to enter the state college there. Both are graduates of the Portales high school.

### RICHLAND BAPTIST CHURCH

We had a ten days revival, with Rev. J. W. Partin of Wilson, Texas, doing the preaching. He did some real good, old time, gospel preaching, and the power of the Lord was manifested in a wonderful way.

There were 23 conversions and reclaimed, 26 additions to the church, 18 by baptism and 8 by letter.

We are happy over this meeting and invite you to prayer meeting each Wednesday night, and Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

Reporter.

### LINCOLN COUNTY MAN SUES GOVERNMENT OR WAR RISK INSURANCE

SANTA FE, N. M.—Mack Dolar Taylor, of Lincoln county, Tuesday filed suit against the federal government in the U. S. district court here to secure payment for war risk insurance which he alleges is due him.

Mr. Taylor, who entered the army in August, 1917, and was discharged in May, 1920, alleges he received injuries during his service which had made it impossible for him to secure adequate labor. He seeks the payment of $57.50 a mouth dating from May, 1920.

## FLOYD

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Key visited Mr. and Mrs. Mack Toliver Sunday.

There was a large attendance at the watermelon feast at Bert Brown's Saturday night.

Don C. Foster's father from Oklahoma visited him last week.

Alvin and Clarence Key from Lorenzia, are visiting at Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Parson's and Mr. and Mrs. M. D. McClesky's.

The junior Sunday school class are going to have a party at their teacher's home, Miss Myrtle Walker, Sunday morning.

Joe Thompson was a dinner guest of Miss Ruby Bacon Sunday.

Miss Ethel Spears was sick last week.

Mrs. Georgia Kiser is visiting in the Stuart home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Holden and Mrs. J. C. Holden were visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Holden last week.

A number of people of Floyd have been going to Fort Sumner after apples.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brown and daughter Daisey ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Parsons Sunday.

Misses Dorothy and Willie Jane Brown and Devora Thompson visited Miss Tiny Jones Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Walker and daughter Mirtle visited their son and brother in Las Cruces last week. While gone they also visited the Carlsbad caverns.

Mrs. Veron Jones from Portales visited Mr. and Mrs. Heck last week.

Mrs. J. M. McCleskey visited Mrs. W. A. Key of Portales last week.

The people of Floyd are very busy pulling broomcorn this week.

### J. N. PARKS

On Tuesday of last week, August 25, J. N. Parks passed away at the farm home 32 miles south of Portales.

Mr. Parks was another of the old pioneers who has seen Roosevelt county organized and developed from a cattle country to an agricultural district. He was born in Tennessee, but came to New Mexico in 1905 and homesteaded upon the land which was his home at the time of his death. The property had been a portion of the old D. Z. Ranch.

For the past three years Mr. Parks has been in ill health and most of the time he has been confined to his bed. His wife and the children located here were attentive to his needs and comfort.

In his youth Mr. Parks was married to Miss Martha Rhotan, to Which union was born one child, Mrs. M. E. Moore of Portales. After about twenty years of wedded life Mrs. Parks passed away and Mr. Parks remarried. The wife who survives him was Miss Laura Landers, and the surviving children are Mrs. M. E. Moore of Portales, Mrs. Ellen Wallender, Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs. J. E. Nabos and Mrs. Lydia Belcher, Chickasha, Okla., Mrs. Tennie Turnbough, Mrs. Ethel Betts, Mrs. Viola Walters, Mrs. Nola Noah and Miss Dovie Parks of Portales.

In addition to the children and grand children, there are twenty great grand children.

Mr. Parks was more than eighty-two years of age at the time of his death.

Wheeler and Johnson were in charge of the burial services, held at Pep.

### EL TOPOCLE LEAGUE UNION

The Epworth League of the Portales Methodist church was host last Sunday evening to the El Topocle League Union which includes the young people's societies from all the churches of this district.

Earl Stratton, Jr., is president of the local organization and was leader of the courtesies extended the visitors.

Miss Gladys Guy of Clovis was in charge of the program of the afternoon and evening, as she is president of the League Union for this district.

The afternoon session opened at 2:30 o'clock and the program as rendered consisted of the following numbers:

Welcome—Portales Union.
Response—Inez Union.
Duet from Elida Union.
Points of the Cross—Clovis Union.
1st Department—Texico Union.
2nd Dept.—Melrose Union.
3rd Dept.—Elida Union.
4th Dept.—Pleasant Hill.
Report on Assembly—Clovis.
Musical—Texico.
Business Session.
Recreation Hour.
Evening Session.
Musical—Portales Union.
Address—Rev. R. F. Davis.

There were about one hundred young people in attendance at the meeting and represented Methodist churches from the entire district.

### EVENING PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Warnica entertained a number of young people in their home last Tuesday evening as a compliment to their nephew, Ray Hamil, who is visiting here from Salida, California.

The happy guests spent the evening hours in interesting activities and games. Light refreshments were served at the close of the party and iced punch was enjoyed during the course of the evening.

The young people present included Misses Knight Edward Kornegay, Flora and Florence Bentley, Virgie Sheffer, Margaret Simms and Jewell Finnell; Messrs. Gordon King Greaves, Jones Brown Smith, Clark Foster, Earl Stratton Jr., Truman Green, Floyd Raymond and Ray Hamil.

### U. D. C. MEETING

The annual election of officers for the United Daughters of the Confederacy occupied the greater portion of the time at the meeting held Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. A. D. Ribble.

Most of the officers were re-elected to their respective positions. Mrs. W. B. Oldham was chosen secretary to serve for her ninth consecutive year. She has been a most efficient officer and the members were unanimous in their wishes for her re-election.

The other officers chosen to serve for the next year are President, Mrs. T. E. Mears; First Vice-President, Mrs. Coe Howard; Second Vice-President, Mrs. C. V. Harris; Recording Secretary, Mrs. W. B. Oldham; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. A. D. Ribble; Treasurer, Miss Kate McManaway; Historian, Mrs. James Christoe.

After the election the ladies had a very pleasant social hour and Mrs. Ribble served refreshments.

The next meeting of the Chapter will be held Tuesday, September 15, with Mrs. J. B. Sledge. Mrs. Greaves will have charge of the program. The members are reminded that this will be the meeting for the collection of dues.





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in
"Five and Ten"

Thursday & Friday, Sept. 10 & 11
MARY PICKFORD
in
"Kiki"



# Fire Sale
## Of Stool's Dry Goods Store

Will be placed on sale at the old C. W. Ison Building Saturday, September 5th, until completely closed out.
**Everything reduced to rock bottom price.**

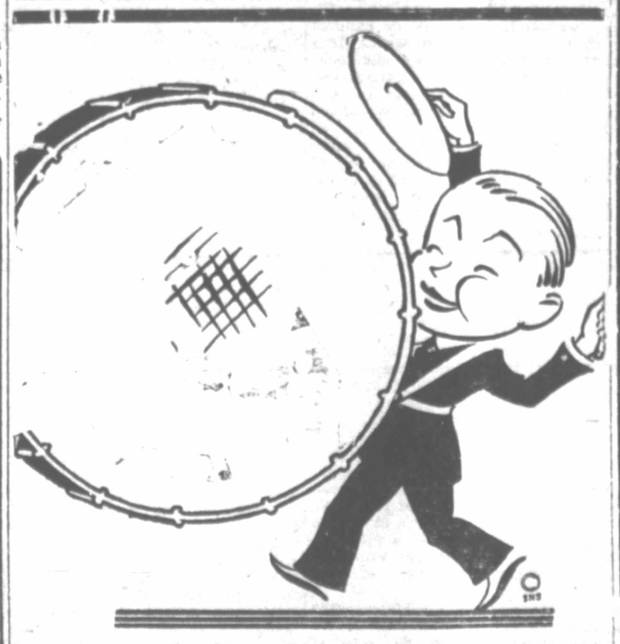
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### SWIMMING PARTY

Miss Eulah South invited some friends to the Country Club last Monday evening to a swimming party at which her aunts, Mrs. J. B. McDonald of Fort Worth, Texas and Mrs. L. E. Franklin from Ada, Okla., were the honored guests.

The ladies enjoyed an hour's swim in the pool and were then ready for the picnic supper which was prepered and eaten before darkness forced the party to leave the camp ground.

The friends enjoying the evening were Miss South and her two relatives were Mrs. Murray South, Misses Pauline Baker, Mildred Stinnett, Lucille Ison, Norene Yoachum, Edna and Mildred Ramsey.

### SINGING CONVENTION

Roosevelt County Singing Convention will meet at Rogers Sunday, September 3. House will be called to order by the president, J. F. Thomas, at 10:30 a. m.

Song by Hugh Vincent.
Invocation, Theo Cox.
Song, Gene Blakley.
Song, E. M. Ragland.
Song, J. A. Mathys.
Song, Paul Walker.
Song, Fred Hodges.
Special by Fred Marshall.
Song, W. F. Page.
Song, Mrs. D. B. Burroughs.
Song, Leslie Fraze.
Special by Boyd Rice.
Song, Frank Greathouse.
Welcome, Donald Gordon.
Response, R. C. Marshall.

**Noon**

Opening by Prof. Tabor.
Business Session.
Song, Fred Marshall.
Song, Henry Nunn.
Song, Vada Zinn.
Song, Joyce Hudson.
Song, Clarence Rice.
Song, Elsie Hanby.
Song, L. A. Faw.
Special S. B. Fletcher.
Song, J. P. McClish.
Song, Howard Hammonds.
Piano Solo, Laverba Burroughs
Song, S. G. Bridges.
Song, Rev. Hoover.
Special, Doc Terell.
Song, Clin Bilberry.
Song, Jewel Fletcher.
Song, Mrs. Alene Ragland.
Special, Mrs. Gladys Allison.
Song, Frank Spamps.
Special, Zilah Ragland.
Song, Bilberry sisters.

All lovers of music are cordially invited to bring their dinners and song books and spend the day with us.

J. F. THOMAS, Pres.
CLYDE MILLER, Sec.

## INEZ

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Tollett left last Tuesday for their home in Chattanooga, Tenn., after spending a week visiting here with relatives. They were accompanied by Miss Ella Bea Tollett, who will spend some time there visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Graham returned last week from their visit in Texas. They spent Sunday in the Floyd Vincent home.

Mrs. R. O. Tomlinson is spending this week with her mother during the absence of Rev. Tomlinson who is attending the Methodist annual conference at Walsenburg, Colo.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Wagner attended Sunday school in our community last Sunday and spent the day in the Frank Greathouse home.

Quite a number of our Leaguers attended the union meeting at Portales Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Mullins spent Sunday afternoon in the Mann Clark home.

Misses Lyda and Ola Mae Adams of Rogers visited last Wednesday with Madge Clark.

Polly and Wilma Mullins and Wayne Tollett spent Sunday visiting Frank Jr. and Deane Greathouse.

Clyde Greathouse visited Sunday with Thurston Tollett.

Frank Greathouse, Miss Wilma Cox, Rev. Robt. O. Tomlinson, J. D. Wagner, Theo and Arthur Cox are leaving Wednesday morning for Walsenburg, Colo., to attend the annual conference of the M. E. Church, South.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rogers returned last week after spending a short time visiting with relatives in Texas.

Mrs. Blanche Tobola and children left last Week for their home in Houston, Texas.

J. E. Tollett is drilling for water on his school section.

Grandpa Tollett spent last Wednesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Haislip of Longs.

Several from this community attended the birthday dinner last Thursday given in honor of Tom Haislip at his home.

Another good day in Sunday school, also good attendance. Mrs. W. D. Greathouse will be leader of the worship program next Sunday. The subject is "The Daily Task."


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## Legal Notices

### NOTICE OF SUIT PENDING

The State of New Mexico to the defendant, J. O. Brummett, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substituted service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: Said J. O. Brummett, and H. W. Syverson, J. H. Syverson, the unknown heirs of H. W. Maize, deceased, Mrs. S. E. West, the unknown heirs of R. C. Wright, deceased, and all other persons having an interest in the premises, and all unknown claimants of interest in the premises adverse to the plaintiff, Greetings:

You, said defendants, are hereby notified that a suit has been filed and commenced against you in the District Court of Roosevelt County, N. M., by R. J. McClure, Ancillary Administrator of the estate of R. C. Wright, deceased, against you, said defendants, being No. 2789 on the civil docket of said court; the nature and object of which are to secure a decree and order of sale, for the purpose of paying the indebtedness of said estate, of the following described lands of said estate, situated in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, to-wit, the NW¼ of Sec. 34 and the SW¼ of Sec. 35, in Twp. 1 South of Range 32 East, N. M. P. M., it being alleged that the indebtedness of said estate allowed and proven in the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, N. M., is the sum of $667.97, and that the expenses and costs of administration will be in excess of $150.00 additionally, said action being for the purposes of securing a sale of said lands to pay the indebtedness of said estate, and all costs and expenses thereof. Defendants are further notified that unless they enter their appearance in said cause on or by October 16th, 1931, judgment will be rendered against them by default, and the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in his complaint.

T. E. Mears, whose business and P. O. address is Portales, N. M., is attorney for plaintiff.

Given under my hand and seal of said court this Sept. 1st, 1931.
(SEAL) JOHN W. BALLOW, County Clerk.
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### ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt Co. N. M.

In the Matter of the estate of Dutch Wilford Jacobs, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned was on August 26, 1931, duly appointed by the Probate Court of Roosevelt Co., N. M. administratrix of the estate of Dutch Wilford Jacobs, deceased, and having duly qualified as such, all persons having any claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby notified and required to present the same to the undersigned in the manner and within the time prescribed by law. Dated August 26th, 1931.

Isabella Jacobs.
Aug 7-Sept 17 Mrs.
Administratrix.

### NOTICE OF FORCLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Special Master of Court to sell the property hereinafter described by order of the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, in the final decree rendered by said Court on the 25th day of June, 1931, in Cause No 2751 wherein L. L. Garrison was plaintiff and G. C. Burdine, Emma C. Burdine, H. A. Hunter, Nay Deen C. Hunter A. E. Sides, J. T. Perryman, Jr., Gladys O. Perryman, Amerada Petroleum Corporation, D. V. Smith, Janice Smith, E. L. Harris, L. W. Young, E. M. Young Ervin L. Wilson, W. H. Sloan, Alberta Sloan, Ina Belle Sloan Hightower, C. C. Hightower Jr. Skelly Oil Company, Vacum Oil Co, J. B. Ried Esther Z. Reid, H. L. Bartlett, Mae Bartlett and the First National Bank Plainview, Texas, were defendants, said final decree being a judgment for the foreclosure of a mortgage deed executed by the defendants, G. C. Burdine and Emma C. Burdine, unto A. E. Sides, and said mortgage deed assigned unto L. L. Garrison, plaintiff herein and the said mortgage deed covering the following described property and real estate, situate, lying and being in Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico; to-wit:

The E½, Section 7, Twp 3 South, Range 35 East, New Mexico Meridian, New Mexico, containing 320 acres, more or less, according to the official plat of the survey of said land.

NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that I Wylma Trapp, pursuant to said appointment obtained in said final decree an order of sale therein, will on the 26th day of September, 1931, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Roosevelt County Court House at Portales, New Mexico, all of the above described real estate and premises and will apply the proceeds of said sale to the satisfaction of said judgment, interest and cost of suit, which said judgment, exclusive of the cost at the time of said sale will amount to $2120.81, subject to a first and prior mortgage in the principal sum of $2,000.00 in favor of the Union Mortgage Company of Clovis, New Mexico, plus interest.

WITNESS MY HAND this the 24th day of August, 1931.

Wylma Trapp,
Special Master
Aug. 27-Sept 17 C. M. C.

### NOTICE OF ANCILLARY ADMINISTRATORS

In the Probate Court of Roosevelt County, N. M.

In the Matter of the estate of C. A. Ownbey, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned were, on August, 24th, 1931, duly appointed Ancillary Administrators of the estate of C. A. Ownbey, deceased, by the Probate Court of Roosevelt Co., N. M., and having duly qualified as such ancillary administrators, all persons having claims against the estates of said decedent are hereby notified and required to present the same to the undersigned in the manner and within the time prescribed by law. Dated this Aug. 24, 1931.

Beulah Ownbey,
Art T. Lewis.
Ancillary Administrators.
Aug. 27—Sept 17 Ms.

### DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

U. S. Land Office,
Santa Fe, N. M., August 20, 1931

NOTICE is hereby given that the State of New Mexico has filed in this office Indemnity School Land Selection, List No. 9489, Serial No. 034689, for the S½N½ Sec. 23, S½N½ Sec. 24, T. 5 S., R. 28 E., NMPM.

The purpose of this notice is to allow all persons claiming the land adversely or desiring to show it to be mineral in character an opportunity to file their protests against the approval of the selection

The application is made subject to the conditions and limitations of the act of July 17, 1914 (38 Stat. 509) which reserves the potash to the United States.

A. M. Bregere, Register
Augst 27--Sept 24th.

### NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Special Master of Court to sell the property hereinafter described by order of the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, in the final decree rendered by said Court on the 16th day of June, 1931, in Cause No. 2753, wherein Jessie Fisher was plaintiff and Mary B. Moody and Thomas Moody were defendants, said final decree being a judgment for the foreclosure of a Mortgage Deed executed by E. T. Moody and the said defendant Mary B. Moody, husband and wife, unto the Roswell Building and Loan Association, a Corporation of Roswell, New Mexico, and said Mortgage Deed assigned unto Jessie Fisher, plaintiff herein, and the further Mortgage Deed executed by the said E. T. Moody and the said defendant Mary B. Moody, husband and wife, unto G. W. Carr and by him assigned to plaintiff herein; and the said E. T. Moody having died intestate on the 18th day of October, 1930, at Portales, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, and left as his heirs, sole and only heirs, the said defendants, Mary B. Moody and Thomas Moody, and the said Mortgage Deeds covering the following described property and real estate, situate, lying and being in Roosevelt County, State of New Mexico, to-wit:

The SW 70 feet of Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 38 in Original Town of Portales, New Mexico.

NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that I, J. B. Priddy, pursuant to said appointment obtained in said final decree and order of sale therein, will on the 17th day of September, 1931, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Roosevelt County court house at Portales, New Mexico, all of the above described real estate and premises, and will apply the proceeds of said sale to the satisfaction of said judgment, interest and cost of suit, which said judgment, exclusive of the cost at the time of said sale, will amount to $2,812.12, subject to a balance on paving lien in the principal sum of 430.62, plus interest.

WITNESS MY HAND this the 15th day of August, 1931.

J. B. PRIDDY,
Special Master.
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### AVISO A TODOS LOS DUENOS DE GANADO POR EL CUERPO DE SANIDAD DE GANADO DE NUEVO MEXICO

Albuquerque, Nuevo Mexico

En una junta del Cuerpo de Sanidad de Ganado de Nuevo Mexico habida en Albuquerque, Nuevo Mexico el 15 de Julio, 1931, fue pasada una resolucion y se dio una orden de que todas las marcas o fierros de ganada en el Estado de Nuevo Mexico sean vueltas a registrar de acuerdo con la Acta pasada por la Sexta Legislatura del Estado de Nuevo Mexico relativa a volver a registrar las marcas citadas.

Esa ley requiere quo todos los duenos de ganado que tengan su marca o marcas en los registros en la oficina del Cuerpo de Sanidad de Ganado de Nuevo Mexico, que vuelvan a registrar tales fierros o marcas dentro de Tres (3) Meses despues de la publicacion del Aviso para volver a registralos.

Habiendo sido hecha tal publicacion el 20 de Agosto, 1931, su marca debera ser registrada de nuevo en, o antes del 20 de Noviembre, 1931. Si, se deja de hacer que el tal fierro o marca sea registrada de nuevo como lo requiere dicha Acta, esta proveido que tal marca debera ser quitada de los registros y venga a ser nula.

Los blancos proprios seran enviados por correo a todos los duenos de marcas pere que los vuelvan a registrar, desde la oficina del Cuerpo de Sanidad de Gando.

El siguente es el texto de la ley el cuel supl camos lea cuidadosamente:

SEXTA LEGISLATURA
ESTADO DE NUEVO MEXICO
SUBSTITUTO DEL COMITE AL PROYECTO DE LA CAMARA NO. 96
UNA ACTA
RELATIVA A MARCAS DE GANADO Y PARA REPELER EL CAPITULO 71 DE LAS LEYES DE 1921

Decretese por la Legislatura del Estado de Nuevo Mexico:

Seccion 1. El Cuerpo de Sanidad de Ganado de Nuevo Mexico tendra poder de, y causara que todas las marcas o fierros de ganado que estan ahora en los registros, que sean registrados de nuevo cuando lo crean necesario con el fin de quitar de los registros las marcas què no se usen. Para este fin el Cuerpo de Sanidad de Ganado expedira y enviara por correo un aviso, por medio del Correo de los Estados Unidos, dirigido a cada uno de los duenos de cualquiera marca que este en los registros de dicho Cuerpo, a la direccion postal que se manifiesta en el registro de marcas, requierendo al dueno o duenos de marcas a fierros que depositen con el Secretario de dicho Cuerpo un fac-simil exacto de cualquiera marca o marcas que ahora esten en los registros de tales duenos. En adicion al aviso de arriba, el Cuerpo de Sanidad de Ganado causara que se publique ya sea en Ingles o Espanol, o ambos, a lo Menos en un periodoci en cada condado en el Estado, donde haya tal periodico, una copia de esta aviso de volver a registrar, dicha publicacion debera continuar a lo menos por cuatro semanas consecutivas.

Dentro de Tres (3) Meses desde la fecha de tal publicacion de ese aviso antes mencionado, sera el deber de todos los duenos de marcas que estan ahora en los registros en la oficina del Cuerto de Sanidad de Ganado, de depositar con el Secretario de dicho Cuerpo, un fac-simil del fierro o marca o marcas que se esten usando ahora actualmente por ellos. La cuota para volver a registrar las marcas marcasera de Un Peso ($1.00) por cada marca registrada, cuyos productos seran usados para pagar el costo del aviso dado segun proveido en la Seccion 1, de esta Acta; Proveido, que cualquier dinero en exceso que proceda de tales propinas debera depositarse en el Fondo de Indemnizacion del Cuerpo de Sanidad de Ganado. Y sea proveido ademas, que dicho registro de vuelta no se debera requerir mas pronto que una vez cada cinco anos; Proveido ademas, que en ningun evento habra un registro de nuevo antes del 1 de Enero de 1926.

Seccion 2. El Capitulo 71 de las Leyes de 1921 queda por la presente repelido.

BYRON O. BEALL,
Presidente de la Camara de Representantes.

Doy Fe:
R. M. JACKSON,
Secretario en jefe de la Camara de Representantes.

JOSE A. BACA,
El Presidente del Senado.

Doy Fe:
J. W. GIDDINGS,
Secrtario en Jefe del Senado.

Aprobado por mi este dia 13 de Marzo de 1923.

J. F. HINKLE,
Gobernador de Nuevo Mexico.

ENDORSADO:
DEPOSITADO EN LA OFICINA DEL SECRETARIO DE ESTADO DE NUEVO MEXICO.
Marzo 13, 1923
10:45 A. M.
Comparado S. C. C. a LM.
SOLEDAD C. CHACON,
Secretaria.

ESTADO DE NUEVO MEXICO
Oficina del
SECRETARIO DE ESTADO
CERTIFICADO

Yo, SOLEDAD C. CHACON, SECRETARIO DE ESTADO del ESTADO DE NUEVO MEXICO, por el presente certifico que ha sido puesto en registro en esta oficina a las 10:45 A. M. en el Decimotercio Dia de Marzo, A. D., 1923, el

SUBSTITUTO DEL COMITE AL PROYECTO D7 LA CAMARA NO. 96
UNA ACTA
RELATIVA A MARCAS DE GANADO Y PARA REPELER EL CAPITULO 71 DE LAS LEYAS DE 1921

segun pasado por la Sexto Legislature del Estado del Estado de Nuevo Mexico y aprobado por el Gobernador del Estado de Nuevo Mexico de 13 de Marzo, 1923; y tambien, que he comparado la siguiente copia del mismo, con el original del mismo en el registro, y declaro que es una copia entera y correcta del mismo.

Dado bajo mi firma y el Gran Sello del Estado de Nuevo Mexico en la Cuidad de Santa Fe, la Capital, en esta dia SEPTIMO de ABRIL, A. D. 1923.

SOLEDAD C. CHACON,
Secretaria de Estado.
(SELLO DEL ESTADO).
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### NOTICE TO ALL LIVESTOCK OWNERS by THE CATTLE SANITARY BOARD OF NEW MEXICO

Albuquerque, New Mexico

At a meeting of the Cattle Sanitary Board of New Mexico held in Albuquerque, New Mexico, on July 15th, 1931, a resolution was passed and it was made a ruling that all brands in the State of New Mexico be Re-Recorded in accordance with the Act passed by the Sixth Legislature of the State of New Mexico relative to the Re-Recording of brands.

This law requires all owners of livestock having a brand, or brands on record in the Office of the Cattle Sanitary Board of New Mexico to Re-Record such brands within Three (3) months after publication of Re-Recording notice.

This publication being made on August 20th, 1931, your brand must be Re-Recorded on, or before, November 20th, 1931. Failure to have brand Re-Recorded as required by this Act provides that brand shall be stricken from the records and become obsolete.

Proper blanks will be mailed to each brand owner for the Re-Recording of brand, from the office of the Cattle Sanitary Board.

Following is the text of the Law to which your careful observance is directed:

SIXTH LEGISLATURE
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 96
AN ACT
RELATING TOO BRANDS AND THE REPEAL OF CHAPTER 71 OF TE LAWS OF 1921

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. The Cattle Sanitary Board of New Mexico shall have the power to and shall cause all brands now on record to be re-recorded whenever they may deem it necessary to clear records of unused brands. For this purpose the Cattle Sanitary Board shall issue and mail a notice through the United States Mail, addressed to each owner of any brand now of record with said Board, at the Post Office address shown on the brand record, requiringg the owner or owners of brands to file with the Secretary of said Board an exact fac-simile of any brand or brands now being on record to such owners. In addition to the above notice, the Sanitary Board shall cause to be published in either English or Spanish, or both, in at least one newspaper in each county in this State, where there is a newspaper, a copy of this notice to re-record, said publication to continue for at least four consecutive weeks.

Within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice aforesaid, it shall be the duty of all owners of brands now of record in the office of the Cattle Sanitary Board, to file with the Secretary of said Board, fac-simile of the brand or brands now in actual use and recorded by them. A fee for the re-recording of brands shall be One Dolla: ($1.00) for each brand re-recorded the proceeds to be used for the cost of notice given as provided in Section 1 of this act; Provided, that any excess of money from such fees shall be placed in the Indemnity Fund of the Cattle Sanitary Board. And be it further provided, that said recording shall not be required oftener than once in any five years; Provided, further, that in no event shall there be a re-recording prior to January 1st, 1926.

Section 2. Chapter 71 of the Laws of 1921 is hereby repealed.

BYRON O. BEALL,
The Speaker of the House of Representatives.

ATTEST:
R. M. JACKSON,
Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

JOSE A. BACA,
The President of the Senate.

ATTEST:
J. W. GIDDINGS,
Chief Clerk of the Senate.

Approved by me this 13th day of March, 1923.

J. F. HINKLE,
Governor of New Mexico.

ENDORSED:
FILED IN OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE OF NEW MEXICO.
Mar. 13, 1923
10:45 A. M.
Compared S. C. C. to LM.
SOLEDAD C. CHACON,
Secretary.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
Office of
THE SECRETARY OF STATE
CERTIFICATE

I, SOLEDAD C. CHACON, SECRETARY OF STATE of the STATE OF NEW MEXICO, do hereby certify that there was filed for record in this office at 10:45 o'clock A. M., on the Thirteenth day of March, A. D. 1923,

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 96
AN ACT
RELATING TO BRANDS AND THE REPEAL OF CHAPTER 71 OF THE LAWS OF 1921

as passed by the Sixth State Legislature of the State of New Mexico and approved by the Governor of the State of New Mexico, March 13th, 1923; and also, that I have compared the following copy of the same, with the original thereof on file, and declare it to be a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole thereof.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of New Mexico at the City of Santa Fe, the Capital, on this SEVENTH day of APRIL, A. D. 1923.

SOLEDAD C. CHACON,
(STATE SEAL) Secretary of State.
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### NOTICE OF SUIT

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO to: Archie Cornelius, otherwise known as Mrs. J. R. Holley, being one and the same person, impleaded with the following named defendants against whom substitute service is hereby sought to be obtained, to-wit: the said Archie Cornelius, Lena Dennis, C. W. Holley, Viola Mayes, all unknown heirs of any deceased person, and all unkwonn claimants of interest in the premises adverse to plaintiff—GREETING:

You, the said defendants, are hereby notified that a suit has been commenced against you in the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, wherein M. H. Herring is plaintiff and you are defendants, and numbered 2782 on the civil docket of said Court.

The general nature and object of said suit is to obtain a judgment of said Court, finding, determining and decreeing the plaintiff to be the owner in fee simple of the following described land, to-wit:

SW¼ Section 9, Township 1 North, Range 29 East, N. M. P. M.,

located and situated in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, and to obtain a decree of the Court, establishing the title to said land in plaintiff and to quiet the title in plaintiff in and to the above described land, and to forever bar and estop the defendants and each of them and anyone claiming by, under or through them or any of them from having or claiming any lien upon, or right in or title to or interest in or to said land, adverse to the estate of the plaintiff herein.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that unless you enter your appearance in said cause on or before the 13th day of October, 1931, judgment by default will be rendered against you, and the plaintiff will be given the relief demanded in his complaint.

J. C. Compton of Portales, New Mexico, is attorney for plaintiff.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this the 13th day of August, 1931.

(SEAL) JOHN W. BALLOW,
aug20-sep10-jcc County Clerk.

### NOTICE OF SUIT

The State of New Mexico to Ferris C. Freeman:

You will hereby take notice that Couse No. 2766 has been filed in the District Court of Roosevelt County, New Mexico, wherein Lolita Freeman is plaintiff and you are defendant.

That the objects of said suit are to secure a decree of divorce, dissolving th bonds of matrimony now existing between you and plaintiff, on the grounds of abandonment and non-support, and to secure the custody of the minor child, issue of the marriage between you and plaintiff.

That unless you enter your appearance in said Cause on or before the 26th day of September, 1931, judgment by default will be rendered against you for the relief prayed for by plaintiff.

That Perkins L. Patton, whose business and postoffice address is Clovis, New Mexico, is attorney for plaintiff.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, this 14th day of August, 1931.

(SEAL) JOHN W. BALLOW,
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### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF ADMINISTRATOR

Notice is hereby given that on the 12th day of August, 1931, the undersigned William J. Finch was appointed administrator of the estate of Calvin R. Woodman, deceased, and that he the undersigned, is now duly qualified and acting administrator of the estate.

Notice is further given that all persons who have claims against said estate are required to present the same to said administrator within the time prescribed by law.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this the 12th day of August, 1931.

WILLIAM J. FINCH,
Administrator of the Estate of Calvin R. Woodman, deceased.
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### NOTICE OF SUIT

In the Justice of the Peace Court, Precinct No. 1, Roosevelt County, New Mexico.

R. R. Merical, Preston Williams, Plaintiff. Jim H. Doyal, Intervenor,

vs.

Chas. Adams, Defendant.

Walker & Cochrain, a partnership composed of Clyde Walker and J. A. Cochrain, Garnishees.

To Chas. Adams, the defendant herein, GREETING:

You are hereby notified that writs have been issued against you, and your moneys and effects, to the extent of $319.90 plus interest and costs of suit, have been garnisheed in the hands of Walker & Cochrain, a partnership, composed of Clyde Walker and J. A. Cochrain, and unless you appear before S. E. Kerr, Justice of the Peace, at his office in Precinct No. 1, Roosevelt County, New Mexico, on the 25th day of September, 1931 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, judgment will be rendered against you, and your moneys and effects applied upon the payment of the debt due, owing, and unpaid to the plaintiffs herein.

Dated this 12th day of August, 1931.

S. E. KERR,
Justice of the Peace.

E. T. Hensley, Jr., Attorney for Plaintiff, Portales N. M.
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## Professional Directory

**Young & Hatch**
Hogs, Cattle and Feed
We do Custom Grinding
Portales, —::— N. M.

**Dr. R. W. Means**
Dentist
Residence Phone 108
Office Phone 26
X-RAY DIAGNOSIS

**Ballow & Price**
Coal, Ice and Feed
Authorized Purina Dealers
Telephone 3

**Dr. N. F. Wollard**
Local Surgeon
A. T. & S. F. Hospital Ass'n.
Office Neer's Drug Store
Phones: Office 49. Res. 169

**C. A. SOE M. D.**
Physician and Surgeon
Phone 78

**S. N. Hancock**
Optometerist—Eyes Tested, Glasses Fitted. Registered under the State Board of New Mexico
Next Door to New Mexico Drug

**E. T. Hensley**
Physician and Surgeon
Phone 94 and 199

**C. M. COMPTON, Jr.**
Attorney at Law
Practice in all the Courts
Office over Hughes Confectionery

**Dr. I. D. Johnson**
Dentist
Phone 82 for appointment
Portales, New Mexico

**Dr. J. S. Pearce**
PHYSICIAN and SURGEON
Office at Pearce's Pharmacy
Office Phone 34, Residence 23

# LABOR DAY

# MONDAY SEPTEMBER 7th

## PORTALES, NEW MEXICO

## *Program*

8:30 a. m. Meet at Court House, Clovis.

9:00 a. m. Leave Clovis.

10:00 a. m. Arrive Portales City Limits and escorted to city by Portales Chamber of Commerce.

10:30 a. m. Band selections by Portales Band.

11:00 a. m. Address of Welcome by Mayor McCall.
Response by W. A. Nickhols.
Quartette.
Address, James A. Hall.

1:30 p. m. Community Singing, led by John F. Taylor.

2:30 p. m. Games—Fat Man's Race, Bicycle Race, Sack Race, Potato Race, 3-legged Race, Old Clothes Race.

3:30 p. m. Old Fiddlers Contest.

4:30 p. m. Ball Games—Dora vs. Clovis DeMolays.

7:00 p. m. All-Star Bowling Match.

Prize—Family coming greatest distance in one car.

Prize—Largest family coming in one car.

Proceeds to go to Portales charity after expenses are paid.



## *Premiums*

**FAT MAN'S RACE**

1. Fields & Bonner, $2.50 mdse.
2. Wakefield Barber Shop, $2.00 Mdse.
3. W. B. Steele, $1.00 Mdse.

**BICYCLE RACE**

1 Nelson's Jewelry Co., Watch $3.00.
2. Howard's Confectionery, $2.00 Mdse.
3. Red Star Shoe Co., medal.

**SACK RACE**

1. Waffle House Cafe, 4 Chicken Dinners.
2. Joyce-Pruit Co., $2.00 Mdse.
3. Nu-Way Barber Shop, $1.50 Mdse.

**POTATO RACE**

1. Jim Warnica, $2.00 Mdse.
2. P. & F. Grocery, $2.00 Mdse.
3. Ed J. Neer, 2 Boxes Powder.

**3-LEGGED RACE**

Two members
1. Portales Drug Co.
2. J. C. Penney Co.

**OLD CLOTHES RACE**

1. United Dry Goods Stores, $2.00 Mdse.
2. Neer Hardware Co., $2.00 Mdse.

**OLD FIDDLERS CONTEST**

1. Portales Garage (Stewart), 10 Gals. Gas.
2. Robinson & Copeland (Pool Hall), Box Cigars.
3. Portales Hdw. Co., $2.00 Mdse.

Family coming greatest distance in Chevrolet—10 Gals. Gas, Portales Motor Co.
Largest family in one car—10 Gals. Phillips Gas, C. & T.
Family coming greatest distance—Coe Howard Grocery, $3.00 Mdse.

# This Page Made Possible By The Following Firms

George & King

J. J. Brown Glass Works

United Dry Goods Stores

Clevenger Insurance Agency

New Mexico Drug Company

Fields & Bonner
"The Man's Store"

Still's Furniture Shop

McCall Grocery & Market

Wood Garage

Portales Steam Laundry

J. B. Sledge Hardware

Stone's 5–10–25c Store

Portales Garage
H. W. Stewart, Prop.

Liberty Cafe
Roscoe Creek, Prop.

Schumpert Implement Co.
B. M. Schumpert, Prop.

Joyce-Pruit Co.

Dan H. Smith
Hardware & Furniture

Red Star Shoe Shop
Jack Stanley, Prop.

Youngblood's Garage

Portales Valley News



## Farm Week.....

(Continued from Page One)

ing for its purpose the artificial stimulation or stabilization of prices was voiced by W. P. B. McSain, of Las Cruces, president of the state bankers' association.

"We must have free and competitive markets," said Mr. McSain. "There must be a general adjustment, and artificial stimulation only prolongs the adjustment period."

Dr. H. L. Kent, president of the college, told in detail of the work of the institution, showing the many services offered the people of New Mexico in addition to academic instruction in the arts and sciences.

Dan F. Otis, chairman of the agricultural commission of the American Bankers Association, of Madison, Wis., also voiced opposition to suggested acreage reduction or elimination of certain crops by saying that he was not in sympathy with any plan for acreage reduction of any crop unless some substitute crop was offered.

**Need Science in Farming**

Mr. Otis used charts to show the value of management. Record keeping and applied science in making a farm pay. "We need team work between science and experience in changing the conditions in agriculture," said the speaker. "We must have both and those who are using both are making successes. We are prone to stress price too much when we should be stressing the cost of production, for when we lower the cost of production we encourage people to consume more."

Mr. Otis urged the bankers to take the lead in making surveys of their sections to see what crops could be grown and marketed at home.

Mr. Jones was given an ovation at the close of the meeting and declared to be doing a greater work for New Mexico than any other banker. He has been very active in the promotion of a diversified farming program for many years and Roosevelt county is recognized as one of the outstanding in the state.

**Group Invited to Tri-State Fair**

With customary modesty, Mr. Jones acknowledged the ovation and said, "It has paid in more ways and one, and I assure you that every banker or business man who takes an interest in and who helps encourage diversified farming will find that it pays in many ways."

Coe Howard and A. D. Ribble, Portales lumberman, accompanied Mr. Jones to the college. While here they extended invitations to the group to attend the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo.

Mr. Howard, on behalf of President Wilbur C. Hawk and the directors of the fair, expressed thanks to Dr. Kent and Director Fabian Garcia of the extension service for the fine co-operation and assistance they have given in past years in preparing the New Mexico exhibit, a regular feature of the fair.

Both Mr. Kent and Mr. Garcia are making plans to attend the fair on Friday, September 25th, New Mexico Day.

## Early Entries Index to Huge Fair Interest

**Tri-State Directors Will Face Housing Problem This Year**

AMARILLO, Texas, Aug. 23.—With the addition of new departments and the enlargemnt of others in all of which entries are being made earlier this year than ever before, indications are that housing facilities at the Amarillo Tri-State Fair, September 21-26, will be taxed long before the opening date.

Wilbur C. Hawk, president, and his board of directors and superintendents already are faced with the problem of additional space with the problem of additional space for some of the major departments, particularly the agricultural and livestock and poultry displays, if entries continue to be made at a pace to match the early start.

**Free Gate, as Usual**

"With more than $15,000 in cash prizes offered, super-attractions already contracted for both day and night performances, and the Tri-State Fair's now famous free gate, I predict the 1931 fair will be the greatest in the Panhandle's history," said Mr. Hawk today.

So popular was the rodeo at last year's fair that it was decided to continue this attraction as a regular feature. Leonard Stroud will present his renowned performers and more than a hundred head of rodeo stock in six afternoon performances before the grandstand, while the night attraction will be in the form of a gigantic chorus followed by the largest fireworks display ever shown in Amarillo.

Contracts already have been signed for midway attractions, for both day and night, that are expected to eclipse all former shows appearing at the Tri-State Fair.

**Entries Are Early**

Superintendents of the dairy, swine, poultry, agricultural, pet stock, rabbit and cavy, automobile and farm equipment departments, and sundry sub-departments, as well as the merchants' displays, report an unusually early interest, and are finding it necessary to warn exhibitors of the danger of delaying entries until all available space has been taken.

As usual, various days will be designated for cities over the Plains country, which will send delegations and bands here on their respective days, and New Mexico boosters already send assurance of a record-breaking attendance from that state.

With favorable weather, directors see no reason why this year's fair will not set up an all-time attendance mark.

## CARLSBAD DAILY AND SEMI-WEEKLY TO GO IN MERGER

CARLSBAD, Aug. 23.—George H. Hill of Roswell, president of the New Mexico Publishing Company, Inc., today announced acquisition by the company of the Cavern City Chronicle, a semi-weekly newspaper, which will be merged with the Carlsbad Daily Argus.

The New Mexico Publishing Company, in addition to the Carlsbad paper, owns the Roswell Morning Dispatch, the Clovis News-Journal and the Raton Range.

Will Robinson, editor and publishr of the former Cavern City Chronicle, becomes managing editor of the Daily Current Argus, and A. W. Anderson will continue as manager of the daily paper. W. E. Wheeler, who was associated with Robinson in the semi-weekly, becomes manager of the commercial printing department to be maintained in a building separate from the daily newspaper.

Miss Mildred Lyons is spending the week end on the Frank Good ranch near Kenna. She will return home Sunday afternoon.


NOTICE

Miss Veta Tabor of Roswell

has taken over the management of

Frances Beauty Shop

Will give Free Shampoos with each Marcel or Finger Wave until 10th of September

Your patronage will be appreciated



# Farha's Grocery

For Friday & Saturday

48 lbs. FLOUR, every sack guaranteed... 85c

3 Bars Soap ..... 22c | 1 gallon Syrup ..... 59c

98 lb. Sack Flour ..... $1.55

Macaroni, 6 pkgs. 25c | 3 Cans Corn ..... 32c

Large Oxodol ..... 19c

10 lbs pinto beans 29c | 5 lbs. Rice ..... 27c

10 LBS POTATOES ..... 14c

1 lb. Schilling Coffee ..... 39c | Borax Washing Powder ..... 3c

1 doz. Oranges, good and juicy, good size, 19c

BANANAS, Dozen ..... 15c

1 gal. Bartlett Pears ..... 54c | 3 Bars Hardwater Soap ..... 17c

Peaberry COFFEE lb 15

1 Box Mother's Oats (China) .. 26c | 1 No. 2½ Peaches, sliced or halves, 17c

We pay 1c more for Eggs than cash market in trade

Plenty Fruits and Vegetables

Trade with Joe—the man everybody knows.

Watch Our Windows for Extra Specials



# DOLLAR DAY

Dollar Day at this store will be an event long to be remembered. We have taken dozens of items which were included in our sale and marked them even lower for Dollar Day. These articles are useful and seasonable and you'll be missing a great saving opportunity if you do not take advantage of this offer. There will be numerous items which we do not have room to list in this ad, but they'll be here just the same and you'll find that you can save money on every one of them. Quality costs not more, so buy here.

**Men's Ties** — Very pretty patterns, many of them sold at $1.00 each, now 3 for ... $1

**Union Suits** — Men's no-rip athletic Unions, sold for $1.00 each—now you get them 2 for ... $1

**Prints** — Regular 36-inch fast colored prints, sold at 25c, now 6 yards ... $1

**Men's Dress Caps** — Big assortment Men's Fancy Dress Caps, latest styles and values up to $1.95, all the newest colors, choice of the entire lot, now $1

**20x40 Turkish Towels** — A big assortment of extra heavy double thread Turkish Towels, fancy borders, even lower than our big sale price. 6 for $1

**Bloomers** — Non-run Rayon. Big assortment of non-run Rayon Bloomers and Panties in assorted colors of Peach, Pink and Green. Choice now only 3 pairs for $1

**Shorts** — Men's Shorts, regular 50c sellers, now 4 for ... $1

**Caps** — Boys' adjustable Caps, regular $1.00 sellers, now 2 for ... $1

**Socks** — Men's plain Lisle Hosiery, mercerized, now 6 pairs for ... $1

**Hose** — Children's heavy Ribbed School Hose, 5 pairs for ... $1

**Muslin** — 12½c Bleach Muslin, full 36 inch, now 12 yards ... $1

**Ticking** — 35c Fancy Stripe Bed Ticking now 5 yards for ... $1

**Val Lace** — Values to 10c, big assortment, now 50 yards for ... $1

**Curtain Scrim** — Values to 59c, good patterns, now 4 yards for ... $1

**Cretonne** — Full 36 inch Cretonnes, good patterns, 7 yards ... $1

**Plain and Printed Shantungs** — Plain, Printed and Eyelet Shantungs, in assorted colors, that have been selling for $1.00 or more all the season, 2 yards now only $1

**Radiums and Baronet Satins** — Big assortment of Baronet Satins and Radiums for slips, you never saw it for less than 89c, now the price is 2 yards for $1

**Juliet Slip Charmeuse** — Big assortment of colors, and it holds its silky appearance after cleaning—ideal for the cheaper slips, a 35c value, now 4 yards $1

**Outings** — 36 inch light and dark Outings, now only 10 yards for ... $1

**Brassieres** — Big table of Brassieres and Corselettes, now 2 for $1

**Shirts** — Boys' Shirts, values to $1.00, now only 2 for ... $1

Joyce-Pruit Co.

a Complete Department Store